SENATE RESOLUTION 127

By Kilby

A RESOLUTION to honor and recognize Matthew Blake Griffith, 2007 Valedictorian of Scott High School.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should pause to pay tribute to those students who, through their natural talents and unflagging commitment to academic excellence, have distinguished themselves in the classroom; and

WHEREAS, Matthew Blake Griffith is one such exceptional student who was recently named Valedictorian of the 2007 graduating class at Scott High School; and

WHEREAS, through diligent study, steady composure during examinations, and steadfast commitment of time and talent, Matthew Griffith has achieved outstanding academic success and has joined the ranks of the best and brightest students in Tennessee and our country; and

WHEREAS, in his remarkable high school career, Mr. Griffith has earned an exemplary 4.0 grade point average, while participating in numerous extracurricular activities, including the Beta Club, SWAT Club, and National Honor Society; and

WHEREAS, as a result of his dedication to scholastic excellence, Matthew has been honored as a Tennessee Scholar and recognized in *Who's Who Among American High School Students*; and

WHEREAS, Matthew Griffith's display of intellectual aptitude and ambition surely bodes well for his future success; and

WHEREAS, Matthew's noteworthy achievement is a tremendous source of pride for his parents, Gary and Linda Griffith, his school, and his community; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Griffith's dedication to excellence is clearly deserving of the respect, admiration, and commendation of this legislative body; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED FIFTH GENERAL

ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, that we hereby commend and honor the 2007

Scott High School Valedictorian, Matthew Blake Griffith, on his impressive academic achievement and extend to him our best wishes for a happy, successful future.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.

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